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PERMISSION TO ENTER

To: Joel D. Boyd, Superintendent of Schools

From: Billie Jo Turner, Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Business

Date: October 1, 2021

Subject: <u>Permission to Enter – October 6, 2021 School Committee Meeting</u>

EMPOWER SCHOOLS \$20,000.00

9 Menlo Street Brighton, MA 02135

To provide overseeing, coordinating and providing templates to guide the ECP Planning process to ensure both efficiencies and effectiveness at LHS.

Funding provided by the School Department Budget: Early College Promise Implementation Grant

MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY COLLEGE

\$ 35,000.00

33 Kearney Square Lowell MA 01850

To provide Lowell High School with violence prevention peer mediation program SCORE. Under the auspices of the Middlesex Community College Law Center.

Funding provided by the School Department Budget: SCORE Peer Mediation Program_

MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY COLLEGE

\$45,000.00

33 Kearney Square Lowell MA 01850

To provide courses and Accuplacer Testing to qualified students from Lowell High School who will earn both high school and college credits.

Funding provided by the School Department Budget: DUAL Enrollment Program

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSESTTS

\$ 68,735.00

600 Suffolk Street Lowell, MA 01852

To provide field trip experiences from the Tsongas Industrial History Center for students grades two through eight to support the teaching and learning of science and social studies.

Funding provided by the School Department Budget: Field Trip/Admission Fees_

COMMONWEALTH CONSULTING AGENCY

\$ 53,000.00

295 Palmas Inn Way Humacao, PR 00791

To provide technical assistance and coaching to support the effective implementation of Universal Design for Learning strategies in lesson plans at the Robinson Middle School.

Funding provided by the School Redesign Grant_

WESTED \$ 34,450.00

300 Unicorn Park Drive Woburn, MA 01801

To provide customized comprehensive research and evidence-based solutions to meet the needs of continuous school improvement by building instructional capacity at the Robinson Middle School.

Funding provided by the School Redesign Grant_

BOSTON HIGASHI SCHOOL, INC.

\$ 82,705.54

800 North Main Street Randolph, MA 02368

To provide for the out of district cost for one (1) student enrolled and receiving services as outlined in their special education IEP.

Funding provided by the School Department Budget: SPED OOD Tuition_

MILL CITY GROWS \$93,500.00

650 Suffolk Street Lowell, MA 01853

To provide gardening and environmental education to students and families participating in the co-curricular and after school programming. All district schools will be served and after school programs will be served at the McAvinnue, Stoklosa and Sullivan schools.

Funding provided by the 21st Century Grant/Exemplar, Farm to School and ESSER_

LOWELL PARKS AND CONSERVATION TRUST

\$102,500.00

660 Suffolk Street, Suite 120 Lowell, MA 01854

To provide environmental instruction and programs to LPS students participating in the 21s Century program.

Funding provided by the 21st Century Grant, 21st Century Exemplar Grant_

LOWELL TAEKWONDO

\$ 24,900.00

101 Paige Street Lowell, MA 01852

To provide after school martial arts instruction in taekwondo to students participating in the 21st Century Community Learning Centers after school programs.

Funding provided by the 21st Century Grant, 21st Century Exemplar Grant___

LIZA A. TALUSAN PH.D.

\$ 24,750.00

Wheatley Hall, 100 William Morrissey Blvd. Boston, MA 02125

To provide and facilitate sessions geared toward preparing school building leaders to implement a goal for culturally and linguistically sustaining practices within their school buildings for the 2021-2022 school year.

Funding provided by the Student Support Contractual Services_